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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
MASANORI KADOTA, ET AL. : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION  
SERIAL NO: 10/509,671 :  
FILED: OCTOBER 8, 2004 :  
FOR: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING :  
OPTICAL MEMBER, METHOD OF  
MANUFACTURING PLASTIC  
LENS, GASKET FOR MOLDING  
PLASTIC LENS, AND JIG FOR  
CASTING MONOMER

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to a first examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.